

1883

Telegraphic Code
J. & M. R. Wing
New Bedford. and
San Francisco.

In writing a code
Message. Be careful
to spell correctly,
and write distinctly

A

B

C

D

E

F

G

H

I

J

K

L

M

N

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General Remarks.
Abandon We have arrived
Abase " " "
Abator A. Parker arrived
Abbess. Atlantic arrived
Abbot. Fluctuating arrived
Abdicat John Dawson
Abdomen Heard of the
Abduct. " " "
Abear " " "
Abet Whales beginning
Abhor Whole number of
Abide Alvin Barker Bails
Ability Fluctuating "
Abiding Atlantic "
Abject John Dawson "
Abjure Shipped Barker Bone
Ablaze " Fluctuating "
Able " Atlantic "
Abtution Alvin Barker Bone

all right

" " now our vessels arrived

arrived

Alvin Barker

fitting

Atlantic

to arrive

whales taken by fleet

in a few days

" " " "

" " " "

" " " "

by Railroad, mailed receipt

" " " "

" " " "

arrived

General Remarks.
 Aboard Fleetwing Saw
 Abolish Atlantic Saw
 Abortion Walrus Ivory arrived
 About Sold some sperm
 Above Sold some whale
 Arrogate Sold some Ivory
 Abrupt Sold all sperm
 Absence Sold all whale
 Abuse Sold all Ivory
 Academy What is price
 Accents What is "
 Accept What is price
 Access. Whalebone quiet
 Accident Whalebone firm
 Acclaim Whalebone ask
 Accord Letter from London
 Account " " "
 Accurate Sperm Oil
 Aching Whale Oil quiet

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arrived

"

in New York
oil here

" "

here
oil here
oil here

here

specimen oil
whale oil
whalebone

no calls

an advance
good market for Bone
whalebone quiet
quiet

General Remarks

Acid Balls for sperm oil

Acquaint " " " "

A cross. Takes some sperm oil

Act " " " "

Action " " whale oil

Add " " " "

Addice Some whalebone

Adding Received account sales

Addition " " "

Addle Received account sales

Address Do you think best

Adequate " " " "

Admiral " " " "

Admire " " " "

Admit But we can do

Adopt Shall we ship

Adorn " " "

Adrift " " "

Adult May be best to

export

Home use

here export

" Home use

here export

" manufacture

selling

Bone London South Sea lot

" " Arctic lot

all bone sent London

to sell sperm oil

" " whale oil

" " whalebone

" " walrus ivory

some bone to London 1 ton

" " " " 2 ton

" " " " 3 ton

ship 1 ton Bone to London

General Remarks
 Advance May be best to
 Adverb, " " " "
 Advice Have offer for
 Affable " " "
 Affair " " "
 Affirm Think some are
 Afflict " " "
 Afford " " "
 After Getting along well
 Against Your Family as
 Agent When do you
 Ahead Start for home
 Aid " " "
 Aim How much whale oil
 Air " " " "
 Alarm Some whale oil arrived
 Ale " " " "
 Alike Business in store
 Allege " " " "

ship 2 tons here to London,
 " 3 " " "

sperm oil

whale oil

whalebone

selling sperm oil export

" " " home use

" whalebone

here

well as usual

start for home

in a few days

to morrow,

will be sent East in Vessels

" " " " " tank cars.

New York in tank cars

New Bedford " " "

Fair

good at present

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General Remarks

Allow. Received a Cable
 Almanac " " Letter
 Almoner Lotter Beard
 Anchor Steamers making
 Antic " "
 Antimony Steamers have
 Arson. Received check
 Penny. Have sent check

reporting as follows

" J " "

arrived

some trouble Our Officers

" " other folks Officers

not yet got any our Officers

of Church's sent me. Mr King

of 1788, 64 by mail of Church

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Park Alm. Parker,
 Pabel Capt Smith goes home
 Pack Mr. Tobey goes
 Bacon Mort Officers go
 Pad Mr. Ripley goes
 Badge " " does
 Baffle can get all the
 Bag Have you a good Matt
 Bail Have you a good 2^d
 Baker Lind Rogers at once
 Balance " H M Gifford at once
 Bald Have you a good 2^d
 Balloon " " " 3^d
 Ballart Trying to get
 Balur " " "
 Band Have been trying, the
 Banner Have you a good
 Bar Cooper started to
 Barber " " "
 Bargain Will Riley Gifford go

Remarks on Officers &c,
by Railroad
Master

again next season
Mate

not go again
gang I want here. A B
a. B. answer & I will advise
Mate, a B answer & I will advise
Mate A. B.

" A B

Mate for A B. answer

" " A B "

Mate here

2^d do "

but we can do, do you want
Cooper. A B.

day First class
" 2^d class

2^d Mate A B.

Park Amr. Parker
 Paritone What Lay will you
 Barn " " " "
 Baron I shall make five
 Barrel " " four
 Basket Capt Smith starb
 Batter " " "
 Bear Mr. Tobey "
 Beauty Mr. Tobey "
 Bed Doing some repairs
 Before Had much oil &
 Blegin Rogers started to day
 Behold H M Gifford started
 Bell H M Gifford "
 Bench Capt Taber "
 Birch Capt Taber "
 Bird Peleg Gifford "
 Bishop Peleg Gifford "
 Basket Frank & Phoebe here
 Black, Peleg Gifford around

Remarks on Officers &c
give ^{1st} mate A.B.

" ^{2^d} " A.B.

Boats A.B.

" A.B.

to morrow first class

to day " "

to morrow " "

to day " "

to J.A.B.

one A.B.

first class

to day ^{1st} class

" " ^{2^d} do

" " ^{1st} class

" " ^{2^d} class

" " ^{1st} class

" " ^{2^d} "

do you want him

" " " "

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Park Atlantic
 Cab Capt Mitchell goes
 Cabbage " " does not
 Cabin " " goes home
 Cackle " " " "
 Cadence Mr. Tilton goes
 Cage " " does not
 Cake Shall we continue
 Calcare Mr. Leary goes
 Calendar " " does not
 Calf Mr. Kellis goes
 Call " " does not
 Cannon Most of Officers
 Canker Can get all the
 Cast Find Rogers at
 Cellar " H M Gifford "
 Cement Will Pile Gifford
 Center What Lay will
 Certain " " "
 Chair Have you a good

Remarks On Officers

again

go again

for good
to return

State

go again

to advance Mrs Pitton

again

go again

again

go again

will go again

gang I want here A.T.,
one State A.T.,

" " A.T.,

go 2^d State A.T.,

you give 1st State A.T.,

" " 2^d " A.T.,

Booper. answer,

Park Atlantic
 Chalk Trying to get
 Chamber " " "
 Chance " " "
 Chant " " "
 Chapter Doing some repairs
 Cheer How much all the
 Chief continue to advance
 Child
 Church
 Cipher
 Citron
 City
 Clamp
 Clank
 Clear
 Clinch
 Club
 Cock
 Cod

Remarks On Officers &c
Master here
Mate here
2^d do "
Cooper here
to A. T.
A. T.
Miss Tilton at present

Park Steetwing
 Dabble Capt Nye goes again
 Daint " " "
 Dally " " does not
 Damage " " " "
 Darn ask Mr Shockley
 Dame " "
 Damp Mr King does
 Damsel " " goes
 Dance Can get all the
 Dander Lind Rogers at once
 Dapple " H. W. Gifford at
 Dare Will Peleg Gifford go
 Dark What Lay will you
 Dawn " " " "
 Day Have you a good
 Deed " " " "
 Deep " " " "
 Defense Trying to get
 Defile " " "

Remarks On Officers
next season

home to return

go again

" " goes home

does not go again

goes again

not go again

again

gang I want here

1st Mate F.W.

once Mate F.W.

2^d Mate F.W.

give 1st Mate F.W.

" 2^d " F.W.

Cooper answer

Mate answer

2^d do. answer

Master here

Mate here

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Park Fleetwing
Delay Trying to Get
Delight Make 5 Boats
Demand How much Oil
Diamond
Die
Dint
Disband
Discern
Disciple
Discord
Disdain
Disgrace
Doctor
Dodge
Dog
Doll
Doing
Doan
Door

Remarks On Officers &c
2^d Mate here
F. W.
+ Bone F. W.

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Park Fleeting

Dot

Doubt

Dove

Drab

Drawn

Draw

Dream

Dress

Drift

Dive

Drone

Dug

Duck

Duke

Dumb

Dust

Duty

Dwarf

Dwell

Remarks On Officers

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Park John Dawson
 Eack Tund Capt Attheam
 Eager Shall have to put
 Eagle Have repaired
 Ear Capt Attheam
 Earl Have you state
 Earth " " 2d do
 Ease " " 3d do
 East John Dawson goes to
 Eat " " " "
 Ebb Tund 1 Piece dating
 Ebony " 2 " "
 Echo " 3 " "
 Eddy " 1 Eggs gun
 Eden " 2 " "
 Edge " 25 dating lances
 Edifice " 50 " "
 Elate " 25 shooting "
 Elbow " 25 " "
 Elect " 50 " "

Remarks on Officers
at once
Dawson on railway
Dawson
arrived

J. D.
J. D.
J. D.

Arctic
Kodiak & Bristol Bay
gun by express

" " "

" " "

" "

" "

" "

" "

Brand " "

Purci " "

Brand " "

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Park John Dawson
Encamp Lord Capt ~~Atkins~~
End Did Dawson
Endorse Dawson took some
Energy Dawson put back
Enforce Dawson sailed from
Engage Capt Hawker
Engine
English
Engrave
Envooy
Esputome
Equal
Exact
Ermine
Errant
Esteem
Evade
Ever
Evidence

Remarks On Officers
at ~~peace~~ kind 50 shooting lance Pierce
get any catch from Panama
oil since leaving Panama
to Panama
Panama, under Cornell
arrived from Panama

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Task John Dawson
Element
Elope
Embalm
Embargo
Embark
Ember
Emblem
Emblaze
Emery
Emetic
Eminent
Emitted
Emotion
Emperor
Empire
Employ
Empt
Enamel

Remarks on Officers &c

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Reporting	Sperm Oil
Hable	25 Barrels
Habic	35
Hace	40
Hact	50
Hactot	60
Hade	65
Hag	75
Hailure	80
Haint	90
Hail	100
Hamine	110
Haucy	115
Halce	120
Harm	125
Hashion	140
Hast	150
Hather	165
Hat	175
Hathorn	185

Reporting Spelling	
Adult	200 Bbls
Heal	210
Heat	225
Heeble	235
Heed	245
Hell	250
Hence	265
Hermant	275
Hevel	300
Hiction	325
Hield	350
Hight	375
Higure	400
Hile	425
Hinder	450
Hinger	475
Hive	500
Fish	550
Fits	600

Reporting Sperm Oil	
Hag	650 Barrels
Hame	700
Hap	750
Heet	800
Hing	900
Hock	1000
Hoor	1100
Hodder	1200
Hog	1300
Hoggy	1400
Hold	1500
Holiage	2000
Holly	2500
Hord	3000
Hool	3500
Hol	4000
Horbear	4500
Holce	5000

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1st

Repeating Whale Oil

Gabble 25 Bbl

Gad 50

Gage 75

Gair 100

Gale 125

Gamble 150

Game 175

Gannon 200

Gape 225

Garble 250

Garland 275

Garment 300

Gainer 325

Garnish 350

Gather 400

Gear 450

Gem 475

General 500

Gander 550

Reporting Whale Oil	
Garble	600 bbls
Garden	650
Gas.	700
Gentle	750
Gesture	800
Gift	900
Give	1000
Glad	1100
Gland	1200
Glass.	1300
Glean	1400
Gleet	1500
Globe	1600
Gloomy	1700
Glute	1800
Gnat	1900
Goat	2000
Goblin	2100
Gold	2200

Repeating	Whale Oil
Good	2300 Bbls
Gore	2400
Govern	2500
Grab	2700
Graduate	3000
Grain	3150
Grammar	3500
Granite	4000
Grasp	4500
Grass.	5000
Great	6000
Greek	6500
Green	7000
Grind	7500
Gloom	8000
Glove	9000
Grotto.	10000
Grand	11000
Guard	12000

Reporting Quantity	Whalebone
Habit	200 lb
Hack	300 lb
Hag	400 "
Hair	500 "
Half	600 "
Halo	700 "
Hatter	800
Ham	900
Hammer	1000
Hand	1200
Hang	1500
Hat	1700
Hatch	2000
Hate	2250
Head	2500
Heart	2700
Hector	3000
Hem	3500
Hide	4000

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Reporting	Quantity	Done
Hugh	4500	th.
Hill	5000	
Him	5500	
Hind	6000	
Hinder	6500	
Hint	7000	
Hop	7500	
Hiss	8000	
Histore	9000	
Hitch	10000.	
Hoar	10500	
Hob	11000	
Hobble	12000	
Hore	12500	
Hoax	13000	
Hod	14000	
Hog	15000	
Hold	15500	
Hollow	16000	

Repeating Quantity Done	
Holly	16,500 \$
Home	17,000
Honest	17,500
Honor	18,000
Hood	18,500
Hopper	19,000
Horn	19,500
Hoarse	20,000
Host	21,000
Hot	22,000
Hotel	23,000
Hour	24,000
House	25,000
Huddle	26,000
Hug	27,000
Hum	28,000
Humane	29,000
Humble	30,000
Hunch	31,000

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Reporting	Quantity	Price
Hungry	35,000	\$
Hunt	33,000	
Hurry	34,000	
Hut	35,000	
Hut	40,000	
Hydro	45,000	
Hyena	50,000	
Hymn.	55,000	
Hymen	60,000	
Hydus.	65,000	
Hydrogen	70,000	
Hydraulic	75,000	
Hydiate	80,000	
Hydiant	85,000	
Hypocrite	90,000	
Hystetic	95,000	
Hypo.	1,00,000	
Hullah	150,000	
Humpy	200,000	

Notice of Draft drawn

I box	\$ 500 ~
Ice	750 ~
Iceberg	1000 ~
I deal	1500 ~
I diot	2000 ~
I dle	2500 ~
I ignorant	3000 ~
I ll	3500 ~
I llness	4000 ~
I mage	4500 ~
I mitate	5000 ~
I mpair	6000 ~
I mpeach	7000 ~
I mply	7500 ~
I mport	8000 ~
I mpotent	9000 ~
I mpress	10.000 ~
I mprove	12000 ~
I mpudent	15000 ~

Notice of Draft drawn	
Incence	17000 ~
Indigo	18000 ~
Induce	19000 ~
Indulge	20000 ~
Infant	22000 ~
Inhale	23000 ~
Inward	25000 ~

Money in Pank

Putting	500 ~
Jobber	1000 ~
Jack	1500 ~
Jacket	2000 ~
Jade	2500 ~
Jag	3000 ~
Jar	3500 ~
Jasper	4000 ~
Law	4500 ~
Jeer	5000 ~
Jest	6000 ~
Jewel	7000 ~
Job	8000 ~
Jockey	9,000 ~
Judge	10,000 ~
Jumble	12,000 ~
Junk	15,000 ~
Just	20,000 ~
Justice	25,000 ~

53 ^{1st} Price Index Oil

Kedge	1.00
Keel	1.01
Keen	1.02
Keep	1.03
Kept	1.04
Key	1.05
Keck	1.06
Kid	1.07
Kidney	1.08
Kill	1.09
Kind	1.10
King	1.11
Kitchen	1.12
Knack	1.13
Knave	1.14
Knee	1.15
Knit	1.16
Know	1.17
Kolar	1.18

Puce ² Penn Oil	
Knoll	75 ⁺
Kuil	80 ⁺
Knotty	85 ⁺
Knocked	86
Knocking	87
Knitting	88
Knittle	89
Kingdom	90
Kennel	91
Kimbo	92
Knife	93
Knight	94
Knowledge	95
Knub	96
Kotom	?
Kiddle	97
Knotted	98
Knarrish	99
Carried Back	

Price Whale Oil	
Label	25 $\frac{1}{2}$
Labor	27 $\frac{1}{2}$
Lace	30
Lack	31
Lad	32
Ladder	33
Lady	34
Lair	35
Lamp	36
Land	37
Lantern	38
Lap	39
Large	40
Lass.	41
Lash	42
Late	43
Lath	44
Lather	45
Lattice	46

Piece	Whale Oil
Laurel	47
Lavish	48
Lead	49
League	50
Lease	51
Lecture	52
Leech	53
Leader	54
Lend	55
Luck	56
License	58
Live	60
Lord	62 1/2
Level	65

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Piece	Whalebone
Mace	80 ⁷
Machine	85
Mad	90
Madam	95
Magic	1.00
Magnet	1.05
Magpie	1.10
Magnify	1.15
Maid	1.20
Maiden	1.25
Mail	1.30
Major	1.40
Make	1.50
Man	1.60
Mangel	1.70
Mark	1.80
Mass.	1.90
Match	1.95
Mature	2.00

Price Whalbone

Mayon	2.05
Meadow.	2.10
Meal	2.15
Mean	2.20
Medal	2.25
Medicine	2.30
Mellow	2.35
Mend	2.40
Memory	2.45
Mental	2.50
Melcy	2.55
Merit	2.60
Mess.	2.65
Metal	2.70
Method	2.75
Mica	2.80
Middle	2.85
Mild	2.90
Mince	2.95

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3d

Price Whalebone

Model	3.00
Moderate	3.05
Modest	3.10
Molert	3.15
Moment	3.20
Monarch	3.25
Monday	3.30
Money	3.35
Monotony	3.40
Moriment	3.45
Much	3.50
Muffle	3.60
Murmur	3.70
Muster	3.75
Mutter	3.85
Myrtle	3.90
Myth	4.00

Price Values Holy	
Tab	50 ⁹
Tail	52 $\frac{1}{2}$
Taked	55
Tame	57 $\frac{1}{2}$
Tarrow	60
Tation	62 $\frac{1}{2}$
Tature	65
Taval	67 $\frac{1}{2}$
Teat	70
Teck	72 $\frac{1}{2}$
Teedle	75
Teglect	80
Test	82
Thentral	83
Toble	84
Tod	85
Toise	86
Tone	87
Torth	88

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Price Values Ivory

Notch	89
Nothing	90
Notify	91
Touch	92
Novel	93
Thumb	94
Numerical	95
Nurse	96
Nursing	97
Nut	98
Nutmeg	99
Nutrient	1.00
Notting	1.01
Numbler	1.02
Now.	1.03
Notice	1.04
Nipple	1.05
Nimble	1.06
Night	1.07

Price Values Ivory	
Ship	1.08
Stitue	1.09
Stitrogen	1.10
Stilly	1.12 1/2
Stiggard	1.15
Stiggler	1.17 1/2
Stighlon	1.20
Stative	1.22 1/2
Stapkin	1.25
Starnation	1.30
Starcotic	1.35
Staphtha	1.40













